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A Reply Brief has been filed on 10/17/2008 and the case has been forwarded to the BPAI. Appellant further argues that the Examiner has failed to recognize that portion a) of Figure 8-1 of Jouppi et al shows item B to be duplicated in the second level cache, and that portion b) of Figure 8-1 shows item A to be duplicated in the first and second level caches. Examiner explains that what Appellant believes is a duplicated "B" in portion a) of Figure 8-1 is actually an "E" as supported by the description of Figure 8-1 a) in the paragraphs above the figure. There is no duplication between the caches of Figure 8-1 a) since first level cache contains "A" and second level cache contains "E", "B", "C" and "D". Figure 8-1 b) is another embodiment which is not being relied upon.

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